

Docket No.: 22841-018

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inter Application of

NICOLSON et al.

Serial No.: 09/640,526

Filed: August 17, 2000

For: EXTENDED WEAR OPHTHALMIC LENS

: Customer Number: 20277
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: Confirmation Number: 6172
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: Group Art Unit: 1714
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: Examiner: Edward Cain
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

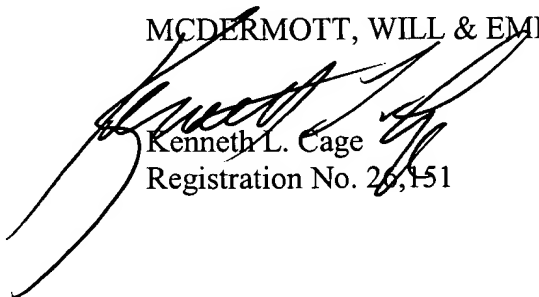
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated November 6, 2003, now due to expire May 6, 2004, be extended for three month(s) and set to expire on May 6, 2004. Please charge the extension fee of \$950.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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